

## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group:

Attorney Docket #.: 2641

In re:

Applicant(s): ODESKOG, J., et al

Serial No.: 10/627,214

Filed:

## PETITION TO GRANT APPLICATION FILING DATE

December 1, 2003

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Reference is made to the Notice of Incomplete Non-Provisional Application of which a copy is attached hereto.

A filing date has been refused because the application was allegedly deposited without drawings.

However, according to the files of the undersigned, proper drawings were filed in connection with the subject application.

Attached hereto is the filing receipt for the subject application which specifically acknowledges receipt of the drawings.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United Stat's Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If the drawings were not received by the U.S. PTO, then this part of the

receipt postcard would have been stricken out.

It is noted that it is the policy of the U.S. PTO to review all incoming

applications and not to acknowledge receipt of anything indicated on a receipt postcard

unless that document was actually received.

Accordingly, reconsideration of the refusal to grant the subject application

a filing date is respectfully requested.

Another copy of the drawing is submitted herewith.

It is requested that any required fee be debited to the account of the

undersigned #19-4675.

Respectfully submitted,

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